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Serial No.: 10/751,274	Art Unit:	1713
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Title: HYDROLYTICALLY STABLE MALEIMIDE-TERMINATED POLYMERS		

## REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This Reply to Restriction Requirement is being submitted in response to the Office communication mailed on December 19, 2005, which required restriction of the claims in the above-identified application. As this Reply is being filed within the one-month shortened statutory period, no extension fees are due.

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